

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

Applicants : Robert E. Blake et al.  
Application No. : 10/826,677  
Filing Date : April 16, 2004  
Title of Invention : BAR CODE SYMBOL READING SYSTEM EMPLOYING  
ELECTRONICALLY-CONTROLLED RASTER-TYPE LASER  
SCANNER FOR READING BAR CODE SYMBOLS DURING  
HANDS-ON AND HANDS-FREE MODES OF OPERATION  
Examiner : Ahshik Kim  
Group Art Unit : 2876  
Attorney Docket No. : 108-034USANB0

Honorable Commissioner of Patents  
and Trademarks  
Washington, DC 20231

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

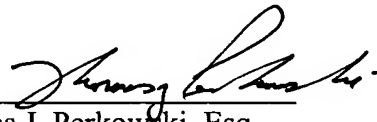
Sir:

Pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a), Applicants request a three month extension of time in order to file the accompanying Response to Office Action dated April 20, 2005. The extended response time to file the Response to Notice to File Missing Parts will expire on October 20, 2005.

Enclosed in payment of the requisite fee of \$1020.00 is Thomas J. Perkowski, Esq., P.C. Check No. 5255 in the same amount. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any other fee deficiencies over overpayments to Deposit Account No. 16-1340. A duplicate of this document is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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